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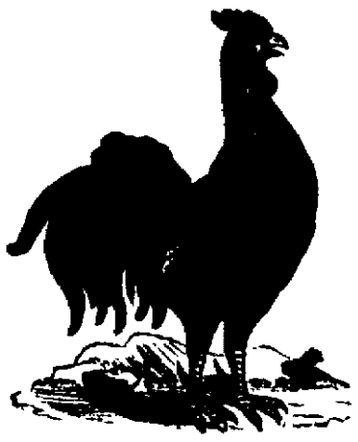
THE LUCKY NUMBERS



OUR ROOSTER CROWS LOUDLY

FOR THE HOLDERS OF THE SAME.

The Free Distribution Drawing occurred at the Tabernacle, on Monday afternoon, Jan. 3. The following are the lucky numbers and the prizes:

8553—One $50 Government Bond.
10147—One $25 Cash Gift.
368—One $15 Suit of Clothes.
1042—One $25 Overcoat.
9498—One $15 Youth's Suit.
1119—One $15 Youth's Overcoat.
3067—One $10 Boys' Suit.
2692—One $40 Sewing Machine.
8210—One $25 Cook Stove.
12142—One Haworth Check Rower.

The prizes are at our store, where they may be had at any time by the winners, and where the public generally is invited to call and purchase goods from our large and well-selected retail stock, consisting of

CLOTHING

HATS, CAPS,

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Etc.

J. R. RACE & CO.

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Korsmeyer & O'Neill,

PLUMBERS, GAS

—AND—

STEAM FITTERS

And dealers in GAS FIXTURES, IRON and LEAD PIPE IRON and BRASS FITTING of all kinds.

PUMPS,

SINKS, HOSE, BELTING, GLAZED SEWER PIPE, Etc

We also keep on hand a large and well selected stock of Breech and Muzzle-Loading

SHOT GUNS,

REVOLVERS,

And all kinds of

Sportsmen's Goods.

As we buy strictly for CASH, we are enabled to duplicate any goods in our line at Eastern prices. GIVE US A CALL.

Prairie St., 2 Doors East of Postoffice.

KORSMEYER & O'NEILL.

Oct. 15, 1880—d&wtf

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is made from a Simple Tropical Leaf of Rare Value, and is a POSITIVE Remedy for all the diseases that cause pains in the lower part of the body—for Torpid Liver—Headache—Jaundice—Dizziness—Gravel—Malaria, and all difficulties of the Kidneys, Liver and Urinary Organs.—For Female Diseases, Monthly Menstruation, and during Pregnancy, it has no equal. It restores the organs that make the blood, and hence is the best BLOOD PURIFIER. It is the only known remedy that cure's Bright's Disease. For Diabetes, use Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure.

For sale by druggists and all Dealers at $1.25 per bottle. Largest bottle in the market. Try it.

H. H. WARNER & CO.,

Oct. 16 d&wtf ROCHESTER, N. Y.

JOHN CLARK, Jr. & CO'S

BEST

SIX-CORD!

—FOR—

Machine or Hand Use.

THOMAS RUSSELL & CO.,

SOLE AGENTS.

—FOR SALE BY—

Linn & Scruggs.

March 25, 1880—d tf

Joseph Sutcliffe,

Commission Merchant

I will pay in CASH the highest price for

WOOL, FEATHERS, APPLES, &c.

STORE- Under Gay & Carter's Insurance Office, Opera Block.

Nov 17 1880-d&wtf

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois

Jan. 1, 1880—d&w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of WILLIAM B. GLAZEBROOK, Dec'd

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of William B. Glazebrook, dec'd, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 2nd Monday of February, A. D. 1881, being the 1st day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 30, A. D. 1880.

JAMES DURNING, Administrator.

Dec. 30—w3w

THE WILLIAM GOAT.

Mary had a William goat,
And he was black as jet;
He followed Mary 'round all day
And liked her! you just bet!

He went with her to school one day,
The teacher kicked him out;
It made the children grin, you know,
To have the goat about.

But though old Whackem kicked him out,
Yet still he lingered near;
He waited just outside the door
Till Whackem did appear.

Then William ran to meet the man
He ran his level best;
And met him just behind, you know
Down just below the vest.

Old Whackem turned a somersault
The goat stood on his head,
And Mary laughed herself so sick
She had to go to bed.

"Shust Like Wanderbilt"

Free Press.

A patrolman in the eastern part of the city was the other day called into a grocery kept by a German to see if he couldn't do something towards aiding the grocer to collect an account against a party who had skipped out.

"You see, I tell you how all it vhas," began the grocer, "dot mans come here and says he vhants a leedle credit, pecause he vhorks on der railroad und dey dosn' bay him off right away Dot vhas all right, und I drusted him apout forty tollar. Den I vhants to shut off on him but he prings along a man who says to me: 'Hans, dis ish all right. Dis mans am a regular Wanderbilt, only he doan' git his money yet.'

"So dot vhas all right, und I gif him credit some more until he owes me ninety tollar. Den my hair begins to shtand oup, und I dells him I must haf my cash. He pats me on der pack like dis und says:

"'Hans, dis ish all right, I am shust like Wanderbilt, und you shall be bald next week.'

"Vhell, when next week comes aroundt he had gone to Canada, und I lose oafer a hundred tollar. He says he vhas shust like a Wanderbilt, but I doan' know Wanderbilt. When der poys say Wanderbilt, ish it a shoke like pull down your west und hardly efter who struck Pilly Batterson?"

Conundrums

When is a wall like a fish? When it is scaled.

How does a stove feel when full of coals? Grateful.

Which of the reptiles is a mathematician? The adder.

When is a boat like a heap of snow? When it is a-drift.

When is a doctor most annoyed? When he is out of patients.

When is a literary work like smoke? When it comes in volumes.

Why is the letter G like the sun? Because it is in the center of light.

What is that which shows others what it cannot see itself? A mirror.

Why is the letter N like a faithless lover? Because its in constant.

How does a cow become a landed estate? By turning her into a field.

Why is whispering a breach of good manners? Because it is not aloud.

What is an old lady in the middle of a river like? Like to be drowned.

What word may be pronounced quicker by adding a syllable to it? Quick.

Why is a miser like a man with a short memory? Because he is always for-getting.

One Thousand Melons to the Acre.

St. Louis Republican.

On the borders of Scott and Mississippi counties, in this State, is one of the biggest and most productive water-melon patches in the United States, equaling, if not excelling, in the peculiar soil required and climatic condition the far-famed melon patches of Georgia, Indiana and the eastern shore of Maryland. The tract so celebrated comprises a sandy prairie, four miles wide and ten miles long, with a thin, warm soil, just adapted to the cultivation of the melon, and such melons are raised nowhere else in that region. There is much richer and deeper soil all around there, but it is not adapted to melon culture. This land is capable of producing 1,000 melons to the acre.

The Friend of Delicate Ladies.

Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure is the remedy that will cure the many diseases peculiar to women. Headaches, neuralgia, disordered nerves, weakness, mental shocks, and kindred ailments are effectually removed by its use.—*The Mother's Magazine*

For sale by druggists

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REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Orr & Baker d&wtf

Grand Exhibition and Sale

of the finest assortment of Holiday Goods in Illinois, now going on at Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store. [Dec. 16-dtf

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CUTTERS and sleighs for sale cheap, or will hire by the hour, all ready to hitch to. V. H. PARKE, adjoining the tabernacle

Dec. 27—d1w*

NICKEL plated 7-Shooters at $1.00, and other goods in proportion, at the new gun store, two doors east of postoffice.

Oct. 26—d&w3m

Butterick's Patterns.

The January styles in Butterick's Metropolitan Fashion just received by

Dec 13—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

A FULL line of easy rockers, at all prices, at Ashby & Andress' 4dtf

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B. STINE,

—THE—

"Boss Clothier!"

OFFERS TO THE TRADE THE LARGEST STOCK OF

Overcoats, Ulsters and Ulsterettes

IN MEN'S, YOUTHS', BOYS' and CHILDREN'S,

EVER EXHIBITED IN THIS MARKET.

OUR ASSORTMENT IS SIMPLY IMMENSE,

—AND—

OUR PRICES DEFY ANY AND ALL COMPETITION.

$5.00 will buy a substantial Overcoat.

$7.50 buys a Dressy Overcoat.

$10.00 takes a Stunner.

$12.50 buys a Fine Beaver.

Our $15.00 Coat is simply immense.

$18.00, $20.00 and $22.00 buys the finest Ready-made Overcoats in market.

In short, we can suit you, please you, fit you, and all your friends. Bring them in and take yourself along with them. Always on hand:

B. STINE,

The "Boss Clothier!"

Dealer in all kinds of

CLOTHING!

For Men, Youths, Boys and Children, and plenty to go around.

Nov. 12, 1880—d&wtf

Emporium of Fashion.

New Millinery and Notions at Bear & Einstein's. We have this day received a beautiful line of Millinery and Notions—the finest ever shown in Decatur,—in which we offer special bargains from date until the holidays, in order to give everybody a chance to buy. Remember, our entire stock is new and of the very latest styles. We have no old goods to sell. Our stock embraces a handsome line of trimmed bonnets and hats, for ladies and children, ranging in price from 50 cents to $15; also a full line of notions and ladies' furnishing goods. Please call, examine our stock and learn our prices, and we will convince you that we offer bargains.

Dec. 1 d&wtf BEAR & EINSTEIN.

Feed Store.

I am running a first-class feed store at my old stand, near the post office Hay, corn, oats, and all kinds of ground and mill feed, at mill prices delivered at any place in the city R. N HAM

nov 4 dtf

IF you want cheap Books go to J T Hand & Co, they will undersell any price quoted. 20-mws

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GO TO A. J. Stoner's for *Mrs. Freeman's National Dyes*. For brightness and durability of color are unequalled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds Price 15 cents. dtf

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COME and see the new style self-adjusting skates at Korsmeyer & O'Neill's before purchasing elsewhere, also a complete line of Barney & Berry skates kept on hand, all at bottom prices, 2 doors east of P. O 1-dtf

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MILAM's bread is always fresh and pure and sweet 14-dtf

Now is the time to select books for the holidays Our stock is complete, and we will undersell any price quoted We have children's Books from one cent to five dollars each. J T HAND & Co

Nov 20-mwsdtf

LADIES' FINE SHOES at I. W. Baker's

Nov. 17—dtf

Change of Residence.

Peter Perl, the undertaker, has removed his residence from West Wood street to the building two doors south of May's grocery store, on South Main street. Calls by night or day will receive prompt attention. Mr Perl has recently purchased this property, and will improve it for his permanent home

Dec 7-d&wtf

Korsmeyer & O'Neill

Have engaged one of the best gunsmiths of Chicago, and are now prepared to do all kind of repairing at reasonable prices. All work warranted. oc28-d&w3m

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FIRST-CLASS upholstering done at P. B Provost & Son's. 9-d

PATENT "La Reine" corded corsets, a beautiful corset, superbly made, without bones, in high favor with many, to which we call the attention of the ladies.

dec 18 LINN & SCRUGGS.

BUCKLENS ARNICA SALVE

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of skin eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box.

Cash Does the Business.

We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade. Come and see us, we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones BARBER & BAKER

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"COMMON SENSE" SHOES, stylish and comfortable, at J. W. BAKER'S (Nov27 dtf

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GENTLEMEN'S FINE SLIPPERS, at

Nov. 10—dtf J. W. BAKER'S

TO ALL who desire to purchase steel engravings, there is an extraordinary opportunity offered to make a selection at J M. Stookey & Co's. They have an immense stock on sale for a short time

Nov 19—d&wtf

THE Metropolitan Fashion Journal and Catalogue, containing new and fresh styles every month, free The "Delineator," Butterick's Monthly Fashion Magazine, 15 cents per copy, at

Dec. 19—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of James D. Taft, administrator of the estate of Joseph Spangler, deceased, and against Jacob Lichtenberger and Andrew Sheets, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots one [1], two [.] and three [3], of S. S. Jack's Addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois. Taken as property of the said Jacob Litchtenberger, which I shall offer at public sale at the west outside door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1881, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 31st day of December, A. D. 1880.

W. W. FOSTER,

Sheriff Macon county, Illinois

Jan 1—d1d

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy—No. 1,619

In the matter of JEROME CULP, Bankrupt.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said court by said Jerome Culp, of Warrensburg, in the county of Macon, in said district, duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 8th day of February, A. D. 1881, at eleven o'clock A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said bankrupt, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.

HARVEY PASCO, Attorney for Petitioner.

Dated at Springfield Jan 4th, 1881

Jan. 6, 1881—d4w

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

IN BANKRUPTCY—No. 2,020

In the matter of MARTIN L. RYAN, Bankrupt

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by said Martin L. Ryan, of Niantic, in the county of Macon, in said district, duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the eighth day of February, A. D. 1881, at 11 o'clock A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said bankrupt, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.

HARVEY PASCO, Attorney for Petitioner.

Dated at Springfield, Jan. 4, A. D 1881.

Jan 7.—d4w

"CHEAP CHARLEY'S" CORNER.

We Have an Immense Quantity of Them!

And we will sell them at GOOD QUALITY AND STYLE, COMBINED WITH LOW PRICES, IS AN INDUCEMENT. WE MEAN,

OUR OVERCOATS AND SUITS.

FOR MEN, BOYS OR CHILDREN,

OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURING, and sold with only a manufacturer's profit.

THIS season is a peculiar season Some clothing men who buy their goods from Manufacturers and Jobbers, had to put an inferior article of clothing, such as Satinet, Union Cloth or sheddy, in their stock, for the sake of apparently meeting the prices which we, as manufacturers of our own goods, quote for our all-wool garments. Only our close attention to the manufacturing, and to the market, enables us to guarantee the articles sold, and to uphold the rule (which we were the first to establish in the west), of returning the money for anything bought of us and not satisfactory after taken if returned not soiled.

AS FORMERLY WE ONLY SOLICIT INSPECTION and COMPARISON

OUR GOODS AND PRICES DO THE TALKING!

"CHEAP CHARLEY."

Not wealth, nor birth nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

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Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

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DECATUR

Factory—Chicago Illinois

Oct. 27 d&wtf

COAL! COAL!!

J. H. VENNIGERHOLZ,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN!!

ANTHRACITE AND BITUMINOUS COAL,

OF THE BEST GRADES.

Sole Agent for MT. OLIVE COAL, and also for the DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL COMPANY'S LACKAWANNA.

Office and yard adjoining Decatur Furniture Company's Factory. Telephone at Ashby & Andress'.

Sept 9—d&w1w

BLENZ & DANZEISEN

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS.

—A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED

MEATS.

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

HAMS.

Hams, from 18 pounds and upwards, 11 cents, under 18 pounds, 12½ cts. Sugar-Cured Shoulders, 8 cents; Lard, 10 cts

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand We kill only first-class stock Petit'g solicited.

LADIES' STATIONERY, of the latest and handsomest city styles, just received at J M. Stookey & Co's [9-d&wtf

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Barney O'Neil and Isabell O'Neil heretofore executed their deed of trust bearing date November 1st, 1877, and thereby conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situate in Macon county, state of Illinois, to-wit. The south half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-one 21], in township eighteen [18] north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, to secure payment of the promissory note of said Barney O'Neil of even date therewith, payable to the order of N. A. Crouch five years after date, with interest at nine per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and exchange on New York, interest payments all being evidenced by interest coupons;

And whereas, it is provided by said deed of trust that default in payment of interest when due, or default in payment of taxes levied upon said premises, shall have the effect to render said principal note due; and whereas, default has been made in payment of interest accrued on said note on and since September, 1st, 1878, and also of taxes levied upon said premises for three years last past, which taxes have been paid by the legal holder of said note, and whereas, there will be due upon said note, and for taxes paid, on the 17th day of January, A. D. 1881, the sum of $920 63;

And whereas, Martha M. Smith, the legal holder of said note, has applied to the undersigned to sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power on me conferred by said deed of trust, I will, on

Monday, the 17th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at ten o'clock A. M., sell the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, State of Illinois, and all right and equity of redemption of said Barney O'Neil and Isabell O'Neil therein and upon making sale thereof, will execute and deliver to the purchaser a good and sufficient deed of conveyance of the premises sold.

CHARLES F. EMERY, Trustee.

December 15, 1880—d30d

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address True & Co. Augusta, Maine Nov11-d&w1y

The Daily Republican.

S. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER, Publishers
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

ENTERED at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 8, 1881.

"THE rattle of the printing press," says L. J. Jennings in the New York *World*, "is, to the journalist who has once taken the complaint, what the smell of the footlights is to the old actor."

The Senatorial situation in Indiana is unchanged. General Harrison has, so far, the advantage, and his friends believe that he will be nominated on the first ballot. The opposition has General Streight for a leader. The date for holding a joint caucus of the Republicans of the two houses has not been fixed.

THE Springfield *Republican*, always in a meddlesome or advisory frame of mind, says: "There is a very good reason why Blaine should not go into Garfield's Cabinet as the adviser of the administration from New England." It affects to believe that Mr. Blaine is not in sympathy with "the principles which brought Garfield popular support." A pop-gun fired at Blaine will harm him as much as will the *Republican's* shot.

THE consumption of beer in this country, as shown by the internal revenue returns, is largely on the increase. During the last fiscal year taxes were paid on 13,847,000 barrels of malt liquor. Each barrel contains 31 gallons, and the consumption was, therefore, 414,000,000 gallons, or 8.28 gallons per capita per annum. This is equal to about 150 mugs of beer each per annum for every man, woman and child in the country, or 600 glasses for each male in the country above the age of 21. In 1870 the consumption was less than half what it is at present, or 6,574,000 barrels, equal to an annual per capita consumption of 5.29 gallons.

THE GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

The message of Governor Cullom to the Legislature, which was read in both Houses yesterday, is a most admirable document—brief, concise and without unnecessary verbiage. It is devoted in large measure to the financial condition of the State, and its material interests. The history of the debt which for sixty years has been an incubus upon the State is briefly gone over, and in a few words his excellency announces that the last dollar of it was paid on the first Monday of the present month. The feasibility of enlarging the Illinois and Michigan canal is discussed, more with reference to its bearing upon the question of health than anything else. A brief paragraph is devoted to the subject of railroads, and he does not pretend to conceal his gratification over the fact that "the power of the State to enforce proper regulations upon common carriers to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination, and provide for public safety, is now established and admitted," having been "recognized and affirmed by the highest courts in the land." The militia, agriculture, the State Board of Health, the State charitable institutions, penitentiaries, State library, etc., come in for short paragraphs. The Governor estimates the ordinary expenses of the State government for the next two years at $3,646,000, not including $2,000,000 for school purposes.

The message is brief, occupying less than four columns of the *State Journal*.

Hayes' Place in History

Rock Island Union.

President Hayes' place in history is giving the Democratic editors just now a great deal of worry. They need not keep themselves awake nights brooding over the question. History will do justice to Mr. Hayes and assign him a niche higher than that occupied by any President elected by the Democrats for the past forty years.

A GAS company in Cleveland, having reduced the price of gas to $1.80 per 1,000 feet last July, found the low price to work so well—by increasing consumption—that a further reduction to $1.65 was made on Dec. 20. The Buffalo *Express* remarks on the facts: "This is an enlightened business policy, as becomes a gas-light company, but we fear too many such companies are yet wrapped in a darkness which only the electric light can dispel."

Shakespeare Revived.

To one or not to echo that's the question. This cheerful conundrum, ye rheumatic sufferers, is by no means as difficult as a proposition in Euclid. Try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil and you will find it just as easy not to echo as to echo.

For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. jan1

I HAVE suffered from a kidney difficulty for the past ten years, accompanied with nervous spasms. Physicians gave me but temporary relief, but after using three and one-half bottles of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, my nervous spasms were *entirely* relieved. My age is 72 years. I recommend his great remedy to all suffering from nervous troubles.
MRS. MARY REKAR.
EASTON, Pa.
For sale by druggists
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Military "Mustangs."

From the Philadelphia American.

Our military establishment is not a large one, but it furnishes room enough for some very bitter quarrels and contentions. Its officers are divided broadly into two classes—those who are West Pointers and those who are not. The war caused a great increase in the latter element, and a consequent decline in the strength of the Army Ring, which was once so powerful in the lobby at Washington. Had General Hancock been elected President, this inequality would have been redressed, and the regular Ring would have had everything its own way. He was its candidate for the Presidency, whatever the previous political affiliations of its members. Since his defeat most of them have been in a condition of chronic sore-headedness, and this has culminated in positive quarreling over the recent changes and promotions.

The Ring has had much to irritate it. It has not had a chance for a President, except this once, since Zachary Taylor. General Grant ought to have belonged to it, but his long absence from the service prevented him from acquiring its tastes and preferences. He was and is more of a citizen than a soldier. He is little better than a "mustang," to use its elegant term for those who have attained distinction without a West Point certificate. Mr. Hayes and Mr. Garfield are both mere "mustangs," and not inclined to see the especial claims of the regular service upon the country. The people may be fond of soldier Presidents, but somehow the lightning does not seem to strike the Ring.

The present disturbance of amity has its occasion in the transfer of certain high officers to the retired list, to make room for the younger men. This procedure we regard as both just and wise. The military profession demands of its votaries that they shall be in the strength and vigor of their years. Our experience in the late war showed how little was to be gained by keeping on the active list such generals as Scott. They were merely an embarrassment to the Government. If we sent our Beliariuses to beg by the wayside, there might be some ground for deprecating their withdrawal from the service. But a Major General who has a pension of $4,000 a year for the rest of his life, with full liberty to increase it by any civil employment for which he has still the energy needed, is hardly an object of public commiseration.

COMPARED with the great nations of Europe, the United States show a greater population than any except Russia, which contains over seventy-two millions of inhabitants. Against our 50,152,559, Germany shows 42,727,360; Austria-Hungary, 37,231,420; France, 36,905,788; Great Britain and Ireland, 31,160,000; Italy, 27,769,475; Spain, 16,526,511. The total population of Europe is given by the Almanach de Gotha as 311,763,713. Hence we have even now only about one-sixth as many inhabitants, though our area and that of Europe as a whole are nearly equal. The eight largest States in the Union are in the order named: (1) New York, (2) Pennsylvania, (3) Ohio, (4) Illinois, (5) Missouri, (6) Indiana, (7) Massachusetts, (8) Kentucky. The aggregate population of these States in 1880 was 23,221,475, and in 1870 it was 19,224,799. They had then just about one-half the total population; they now fall short of it by nearly two millions.

To Tell the Age of Cows.

The age of horned cattle may generally be known by rings on the horns till their tenth year; after that time they give no indication of age further than that the animal has passed its tenth year. The first ring appears on the horn after the animal has passed two years old—soon after, as a general rule, though sometimes before that age. During the third year, the ring gradually increases, and at three years of age it is completely formed. The second ring appears during the fourth year, and at the fifth year it is complete. After that period an additional ring is formed each year. This rule is sufficiently plain, and even a young farmer needs but little practice to enable him to read a cow's age on her horns. A cow with three rings is six years old; with four she is seven years old. No new ones formed after the 10th year; the deeper rings, however, and the worn appearance of the horns are pretty sure indications of old age—*Ex.*

A STRANGE, sad case of mental aberration has been brought before the physicians of New York. An editor has suddenly fallen the helpless prey to the wild hallucination that he has a bank account. The medicine men say there is no hope for him, and he will probably be shot by the chief of police.

JOSH BILLINGS suggests that if a man is on his way to the woods to commit suicide, and a bull suddenly gives chase, the chances are that he will run for his life.

"LANDLORD, did you ever have a gentleman stop with you before?" "Are you a gentleman?" asked the landlord.—"Yes, I am." Then I never had one stop with me before."

Suitable for the Holidays.

Handsome Silk Umbrellas, Portmonnaies for ladies and gentlemen; Fancy Baskets, Satchels, ladies' and gent's Scarfs and Ties,; Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Towels, Tidies, Fine Blankets, Hosiery and Gloves. LINN & SCHROEDER.
Dec 13-d&wtf

IF YOU wish to buy a handsome Cloak, Dolman or Circular, at about *one-half* the price generally asked you for a similar class of goods, call at the
4-d&w1w CHEAP STORE

DURNO'S CATARRH SNUFF cures Catarrh and all affections of the mucous membrane. 2

GEN. GRANT AND A CABINET OFFICE

From the State Journal.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* strongly urges Gen. Grant for Secretary of State, and cites in support of his especial fitness his service for eight years as President, and his familiarity with foreign Governments by travel. But there is another department of Government for which he is still better qualified by experience, and that is the post of Secretary of War. This would give scope for the exercise of both his civil and military knowledge. It has not been customary to employ past Presidents in the subordinate offices, but there is nothing in either the unwritten law or the genius of our institutions to prevent it. The whole Nation has been busying itself to provide a position for ex-President Grant, where he could be honored and remunerated. It has been suggested that he be retired on pay without doing any service; and it has even been proposed to pension him by private munificence. None of these schemes would so well suit the active spirit of Gen. Grant, or afford so pleasing an example for American youth, or accord so handsomely with the noble ideas of Republicanism, as to give him a position of usefulness, coupled with a fairly remunerative salary. He would fill the War Secretaryship with signal ability, and be an ornament, and a strength to Gen. Garfield's Administration. Then, with Mr. Blaine for Secretary of State, and a man of Sherman's equal as Secretary of the Treasury, Gen. Garfield would start out in the formation of a Cabinet in such an assuring manner as to compel the Nation and the world to respect and honor his administration.

SENATOR MORGAN, of Alabama, has been talking to a correspondent of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, and has contradicted some of their favorite views of his party's organs. They hold that the negro population has increased enormously in the South, and that this increase is an evidence that the colored men are well treated. The Senator, on the other hand, says: "The hill counties are getting the increase of population, while the fertile lands are most constantly losing. In Alabama, the white counties have increased 35 per cent, while the negro counties have not increased 10 per cent, in the last ten years." The Senator looks for a redistribution of the negro population over the whole country. The demand for them as servants in the North and their desire to accept situations as such are equally great. He would not think a change of that nature an unmixed evil. If the cotton crop should be diminished the people would get more for what remained. The white people of the South raise 3,000,000 bales of cotton with their own hands, and could dispose of it at handsome prices were it not for negro competition. If more negroes are needed to take the place of those who go away, why there is Africa, says the Senator, a never-failing source of supply. The Senator from Alabama, it is evident, can't see much beyond the end of his nose in politics. His views are extremely short-sighted. The idea that the South would suffer no pecuniary loss by the emigration of 500,000 trained laborers, or that their places could be supplied by free barbarians from Africa is exceedingly ludicrous. There was only one part of Mr. Morgan's "interview" that was more absurd, and that was his statement that Garfield was elected by 30,000 "negro votes" at the North. He was elected by the votes of negroes in conjunction with 4,000,000 votes of whites. There is no such a thing as a negro-vote. The votes of negroes did not count more than just as many votes of white men.

THE message of Governor Jarvis, of North Carolina, speaks in warm terms of the relations between the blacks and whites, and says the colored people are becoming more industrious and thrifty. He regards it an imperative duty that the whites should see that in all things full and equal justice shall be done the blacks, and they are not left to work out their own destiny alone. The Governor favors a school-tax of 26 cents on the $100 worth of property, and takes ground in favor of the prohibitory movements.

THE following remarkable statement from Governor Cornell's message to the New York legislature will be read with surprise outside that state:

It is the popular impression that imprisonment for debt was abolished in this state many years ago. Such undoubtedly was the intention when the laws to this end were enacted; but unfortunately, as many victims can testify, the object was not attained. The county jail in the city of New York is never free of prisoners detained for debt, and it is not uncommon to find from fifty to seventy-five debtors, so called, confined therein, some of whom have been there for years. Instances of imprisonment for claims as small as twenty dollars are not infrequent. Cruel hardship is constantly inflicted in this manner, and it is due the unfortunate subjects of such outrage that the laws regulating imprisonment on civil process be thoroughly revised, and all obnoxious features expunged.

DR. MOTT'S LIVER PILLS are the best Cathartic Regulators. No. 2

BAKER'S PAIN PANACEA cures pain in Man and Beast. For use externally and internally. No. 2

DR. GREEN'S OXYGENATED BITTERS Are a cheap and simple remedy for Dyspepsia and Biliousness in all their worst forms. It is a well-known preparation, and has been known and endorsed by physicians for many years, and has been used by thousands of sufferers in all parts of the world as a Standard and Reliable Remedy. No. 2

DR. ROGER'S VEGETABLE WORM SYRUP instantly destroys worms and removes the secretions which cause them. 2

JACOB SMITH, Clinton street, Buffalo, says he has used Spring Blossom in his family as a general medicine for cases of Indigestion, Biliousness, Bowel and Kidney complaints, and disorders arising from impurities of the blood; he speaks highly of its efficiency. Price 50 cents; trial bottles 10 cts.

TELEGRAPHIC

ANOTHER HORROR.

Burning of an Alms House.

Fears of an Ice Flood in the Ohio.

DOVER, N. H., January 7.—Fire was discovered in the main building on the Strafford county farm, about 4:30 o'clock this morning. When discovered the flames had made considerable headway and many rooms were filled with smoke. One hundred and sixty-nine persons were in the building and some of them had to be dragged out. Thirteen are missing, probably burned.

The inmates who escaped are clothed and sheltered by the neighbors. An engine sent from Dover could not get to the fire on account of the heavy snow.

MENTOR, O., Jan. 7.—Gen. Hayes, member of Congress from Illinois, has just been here making a brief call on his way to Washington. He is a personal friend of Gen. Garfield, having served some years with him in the House. He thinks that small and unknown men will not be invited to any position in the Cabinet. Speaking of Gen. Garfield's large mails, Gen. Hayes says that Gen. Logan probably has a more extensive correspondence than any other man in either branch of Congress. Mrs. Logan opens and answers nearly all the letters that come to him. She is a lady of extraordinary intellectual ability and nobility of character. A great deal of interest is felt in the future course of Senator Davis, of Illinois, and Senator Mahone, of Virginia. There are leading Republicans, who hope that both these Senators will co-operate with the Garfield Administration in all matters of importance. Some of the enemies of Senator Blaine are getting up quite a boom for Gen. Grant for Secretary of State. The efforts of the Colorado delegation to secure a place in the Cabinet for Governor Routt are not likely to be successful. Gen. Garfield said to-day he regretted that he was not permitted to serve a term in the United States Senate instead of being nominated for the Presidency. He says it is not pleasant for as young a man as he is to look forward to a certain date, not far in the future, and know that at that time he must be permanently retired from public life. Congressmen who have called here lately do not think that the present Congress will do more than vote a pension to Grant.

Mr. Eaton, of Washington, is here to-night, with T. H. Hardy, banker, of Cleveland. The revenue collectors of the ports of Cleveland and Chicago are also here. The latter advocates the appointment of Wilson, of Iowa, as secretary of the treasury; he expresses confidence in Wilson's success. Hard-money Tom Nichols, of Milwaukee and Chicago, is here acting as private secretary to Gen. Garfield.

CINCINNATI, O., January 7.—Dispatches indicate the breaking up of the ice in the Ohio between here and Pittsburg before many hours. Yesterday's rain at Pittsburg started a boom in the Monongahela. Pittsburg reports seven feet of water. At Portsmouth the large ice is moving, and the river is rising fast; the steamer Eldorado sunk, and is half under water. Ironton reports the ice moving and the river rising rapidly. Buena Vista reports the ice moved at 4 o'clock this morning, gorged there, and commenced moving again at 9:50 this morning. Manchester and Ripley report the ice solid. Catlettsburg and Ashland report the river rising rapidly and full of heavy ice. Pittsburg thinks the cool change in the weather last night will avert much damage. The river is solid at Cincinnati. Steamboat owners and underwriters are anxious in apprehension of damage to boats.

PITTSBURG, PA., January 7.—The ice is moving above, and is expected here this afternoon. Weather clear and cool.

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., Jan. 7.—There is serious trouble at Verplanck's Point among the ice men. The authorities have telegraphed to Yonkers for the military. The ice men are on a strike parading with a band of music. Men willing to work have been driven from the lake and the deputy sheriff defied.

AUGUSTA, ME., Jan. 7.—The Republican caucus to nominate a United States Senator was largely attended, Hon. Anson P. Merrill presiding. Hon. Eugene Hale received the unanimous nomination for Senator.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 7.—A Democratic caucus at Jefferson City to-night nominated Frank M. Cockrell for re-election to the United States Senate, by a vote of 115 for Cockrell. 71 for J. O. Broadhead and one for Chas. P. Johnson.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—It is stated on credible authority that the Wabash road will shortly abandon its claim for a differential rate, which would at once result in the restriction of the prices to something like a $5 rate between Chicago and St. Louis. The Wabash would then run into the Twelfth Street depot.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 7.—Senator Logan proposes to call the attention of the Senate Military Committee at the meeting on Tuesday next to the President's recommendation to create the office of Captain General for General Grant. General Logan is not pleased with McCook's bill in the House proposing to put Grant on the retired list, but thinks Congress should pass a bill restoring Grant to the army for active duty.

A bill introduced by Senator Ferry to increase the efficiency of the Life-Saving Service provides for a number of new stations and the pensioning of the widows and orphans of men who lose their lives while in the service, whether by accident or disease.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—A record of wonderful debt-paying power is presented by the report of State Treasurer J. C. Smith. The State indebtedness on Monday the 3d, was $281,000. All this called in now is being paid at the American Exchange National Bank of New York. When all the bonds are paid, about $100,000 will remain in the State Treasury of the fund paid by the Illinois Central to the State, besides a fund of over $1,000,000 derived from other sources, which is in the treasury. Many of the bonds now being paid were negotiated for seven cents on the dollar. The local indebtedness is about $50,000,000, of which $16,000,000 are registered and paid through the State Treasurer's office.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Prices, 10cts. 50 cts. and $1. If your Lungs are sore, Chest or Back Lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster.
Sold by Henry Smith.

Answer this Question.

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Coming up of the Food, Yellow Skin, when for 75c we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them.
For sale by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth and Head Ache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge.
Sold by Henry Smith. dec11-deod&w

A Jest.

A witty man can make a jest, a wise man can take one. It does not take either to find out the Virtues of Spring Blossom in curing disorders arising from impurities of the blood, Constipation, Indigestion, etc. Prices 50cts; trial bottles 10 cents. jan1

Electric Oil Among the Base Ballists.

Joseph Durringer, Broadway, says he had the misfortune to severely sprain his ankle, confining him to his room and causing extreme suffering. His brother, Lessee, of the East side B. B. grounds, who always uses it in such cases, induced him to try it and he says that the application of the Eclectric Oil half a dozen times enabled him to walk around, and before he had used ½ of the bottle he was quite recovered.
For sale by A. J. Stoner. jan4

Felt Skirts,

A very handsome and complete line, at about *cost price* See them.
4-d&w1w CHEAP STORE, Big 18

SEE the "Common Sense," Shoes, at J. W Baker's. Nov27 dtf

NATURE'S TRIUMPH.

FRAZIER'S ROOT BITTERS

If you are weak, or languid, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your flesh is flabby and your complexion sallow, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you live in a malarial district, use Frazier's Bitters.
If worn down with the care of children, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have got the blues, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have kept late hours and lived contrary to the laws of health, use Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you need toning up, take Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you have abused instead of used nature's gifts, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you feel old before your time, use Frazier's Bitters.
If life has become a burden and you have gloomy forebodings, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your hands tremble and your eyes have grown dim, Frazier's Root Bitters will make you feel young again. Sold by all druggists everywhere at the low price $1 00 per bottle.
HENRY & DAVIES, Sole Prop's,
Dec. 29, 1880—d&w1mo CLEVELAND, O.

Books! Books!! Books!!!

We never quote prices, yet we always undersell any price quoted. Our stock is complete, call and examine it.
Nov. 20dmws J. T. HAND & Co.

Made to Order.

The celebrated Wilson Bros.' Shirts made to order and in stock, at
11 B. STINE'S, the Boss Clothier.

Over the Hills to the Bone Yard.

Straight to the boneyard people go who neglect too long the danger signal of approaching consumption, a hacking cough. But with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for a safe guard the peril is averted. It is a superlatively fine remedy also for rheumatism, piles, soreness, hurts, etc.
For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. jan4

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF—

THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK.

at Decatur, in the State of Illinois, at the close of business, December 31st, 1880.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$167,820 68
Overdrafts	2,196 47
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	1,200 00
Due from other National Banks	64,845 41
Due from State Banks and Bankers	4,289 67
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	22,669 50
Checks and other cash items	765 40
Bills of other banks	8,023 00
Fractional paper currency nickels and pennies	63 22
Specie	13,175 50
Legal tender notes	33,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent. of circulation)	2,250 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	147 41
Total	$373,446 25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	12,000 00
Undivided profits	8,826 06
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	199,097 56
Demand certificates of deposit	17,022 64
Total	$373,446 20

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss:

I, George W. Bright, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. W. BRIGHT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1881.

SILAS OVERMIRE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
D. S. SHELLABARGER,
C. P. THATCHER,
D. W. BRENNEMAN,
} Directors.

Jan. 7-dlt

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

—OF—

CLOAKS,

DOLMANS, Etc.

We have about 200 CLOAKS and DOLMANS that we to-day reduce to manufacturers' cost rather than to carry over.

We also reduce our entire stock of NUBIAS, HOODS, KNIT JACKETS and ULSTERS, KNIT SCARFS for boys and men TO COST.

As our original price for the above goods was about as low as windy advertisers bought them, you will get some excellent bargains by purchasing of us.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

Jan. 5, 1881—d&wtf

HOLIDAY GOODS!

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.,

The old and reliable jewelers of the city, have the largest and most complete assortment of

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES!

RICH SILVERWARE,

FINE JEWELRY,

FANCY GOODS,

Ever shown in Decatur. Their stock is very complete and embraces all the Novelties in their line. You will find their prices lower than any other firm in the city. All goods purchased at this House will be

Engraved Free of Charge.

Do not fail to see this stock before you buy anything in that line.
Dec. 9, 1880—d&w1mo

CLEARANCE SALE

—OF—

CLOAKS,
DOLMANS,
CIRCULARS,
CHILDREN'S CLOAKS,
CROCHET & KNIT GOODS,
LADIES' & MEN'S UNDERWEAR
BLANKETS, SHAWLS,
WOOL HOSIERY

—AND—

SKIRTS.

—OUR—

CLOAKS, DOLMANS, CIRCULARS,

As well as our Entire Stock, are:

FIRST—Fresh, and nearly all this year's manufacture and purchase.

SECOND—Our stock in every department, and more particularly in the above-named goods, is entirely free from old or shelf-worn goods.

THIRD—All goods in our house are marked in plain-selling figures, and the *one-price* system strictly adhered to.

FOURTH—We buy, at least, as cheap and under equal advantages as the most *windy* of our neighbors.

FIFTH—We marked and sold, in the first place, all *CLOAKS, DOLMANS* and *CIRCULARS* lower by from three to five dollars each, than the same grades of goods were selling elsewhere then or now.

SIXTH—We did not, and do not, carry Satinet or Cotton Worsted garments, elaborately cotton-trimmed, and sell them at an advance of from 50 to 75 per cent., and then prate about the excellence and low prices of our goods.

SEVENTH—We never take advantage of either the ignorance of, or the confidence that is reposed in us, by a purchaser; and

FINALLY—We say, without hesitancy or fear of contradiction, that our goods are bought as cheap as the cheapest, and are every way equal to the best, and *vastly* superior to a great many that are bought and sold in this city daily.

Owing to an overstock we offer a very full and handsome line of the above specified winter goods at

ACTUAL COST!

AND WITHOUT RESERVE.

Deception or misrepresentation are unknown in our house, as all unbiased patrons can readily testify. See and price Our Goods before you buy.

Sign of the BIG

18. CHEAP STORE,

SOL. MORITZ & CO.

The Daily Republ

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN.

CITY DEPARTME

SEE those lovely decorated c ner and tea sets, at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW

Now doth the wicked small boy gr
And make the snow-ball true,
Then hits another boy gerwhack,
And makes the boy howl, too.

BATH next Friday night.

ATTEND church to-morrow.

THE "New Evangeline" is gr

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500 POUNDS of cigar scraps Schroeder's tobacco store.

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THE special meetings at the church will be continued throu week.

ANDY HILL has a fine lot of annas, delicious oranges, and pears.

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BARGAINS in No. 1 Pianos a at C. B. Prescott's music parlo block.

THE Public Reading Room with a fine crayon portrait of Evans, the artistic work of Hagan, of St. Louis. It is nice and attracts general attention.

FOR a choice line of elegant and pure drugs, call on Walt ler's.

THE largest, cheapest and b ment of Corsets can at all time at Linn & Scruggs'. Dec

DON'T take our word for one of Schroeder's celebrated cigars, and you can't help yo boss."

THE benevolent people of attend a grand charity ball t there on next Monday evening

MICHIGAN apples, strained pure maple syrup, at Young B store

SUPPLY yourself with new in cans, to be had at Peter U

FOR Kid Gloves, Laces, E Ribbons, Fancy Goods of ev tion, and Notions, go to the
8-d&w1w CRA

A LARGE lot of Hassocks a will be closed out on our c at greatly reduced prices.
Jan. 6—d&wtf LINN &

DANVILLE will have a hang the 21st inst, when a sentence named Frederick Kester will eternity. Referring to the g being prepared for Kester's ex News says: "It will not be this scaffold has executed the law in carrying out the pen murderers have already trod their last walk in this life—th Johnson, Burns, and another son at Newport. Patsy De hung at Clinton on the sam Kester expiates his crime

You can save money in Christmas presents in the je J. L. KRIEGER, No. 20 Merch Dec. 20—d&wtf

THE other day, so it is sa chap from Monroeville, hav along, took her to dinner Commercial Hotel, and the p seats at the table together, front of them stood a glass celery, the white crisp stalks the green leaves on them. N seen anything of the sort bef taking it for something out turned to his sweetheart, sa in a drawling tone, "Tis it's a sin't it?"

MOTHERS, do not let yo suffer with the whooping c Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup w sufferers will soon find relief 50 cents a bottle.

DRY stove wood and Big Q at McClelland's coal yard

GLASSWARE at less than c & Andress'

MRS. J. B. WILSON, Tiffi I have worn an Improved L ney Pad, and received mor from all remedies I have cheerfully recommend it to —See advertisement j

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WE have left four or wool seven-pound blanke offer very low.
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PARTIES wanting stoves, furniture, now is your ti Andress have to move and stock off.

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500 POUNDS of cigar scraps for sale at Schroeder's tobacco store.

BUSINESS in the circuit court will be resumed on Monday morning at 8 o'clock.

THE thermometer this morning at 7:30 o'clock registered four degrees above zero.

D. H. HEILMAN has received a carload of fine Michigan apples. [dec29dtf

THE special meetings at the 1st M. E. church will be continued throughout next week.

ANDY HILL has a fine lot of fresh bananas, delicious oranges, and California pears. 5-d4

THE price of coal in Decatur still remains unchanged. Hard coal brings $9 per ton; soft coal, $4.

BARGAINS in No. 1 Pianos and Organs, at C. B. Prescott's music parlor in opera block.

THE Public Reading Room is adorned with a fine crayon portrait of Librarian Evans, the artistic work of Mr. L. A. Hagan, of St. Louis. It is nicely framed, and attracts general attention.

FOR a choice line of elegant perfumery and pure drugs, call on Walters & Tyler's.

THE largest, cheapest and best assortment of Corsets can at all times be found at Linn & Scruggs'. Dec 15-d&wtf

DON'T take our word for it, but buy one of Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars, and you can't help voting it "the boss."

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SUPPLY yourself with new Elgin corn in cans, to be had at Peter Ullrich's.

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8-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

A LARGE lot of Hassocks and Ottomans will be closed out on our *cheap counter* at greatly reduced prices.
Jan. 6—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

DANVILLE will have a hanging bee on the 21st inst, when a sentenced murderer named Frederick Kester will step off into eternity. Referring to the gallows now being prepared for Kester's execution, the News says "It will not be the first time this scaffold has executed the rigor of the law in carrying out the penalty, as four murderers have already trod its floor for their last walk in this life—three at Paris, Johnson, Burns, and another, and Watson at Newport." Patsy Devine will be hung at Clinton on the same day that Kester expiates his crime.

YOU can save money in buying your Christmas presents in the jewelry line of J. L. KNIEKER, No 30 Merchant street
Dec. 30—d&wtf

THE other day, so it is said, a young chap from Moawequa, having his girl along, took her to dinner at Varney's Commercial Hotel, and the pair occupied seats at the table together. Directly in front of them stood a glass containing celery, the white crisp stalks still having the green leaves on them. Never having seen anything of the sort before and mistaking it for something ornamental, he turned to his sweetheart, and remarked, in a drawling tone, "That's a hefty bo'kay, ain't it?"

MOTHERS, do not let your darlings suffer with the whooping-cough. Use Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup and the little sufferes will soon find relief. Only 25 and 50 cents a bottle. 8-d&w1w

DRY stove wood and Du Quoin nut coal at McClelland's coal yard. u28dtf

GLASSWARE at less than cost at Ashby & Andress' 4dtf

MRS. J. B. WILSON, Tiffin, Ohio, says: I have worn an Improved Excelsior Kidney Pad, and received more relief than from all remedies I have ever tried. I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers. —See advertisement. jan6-d&w1w

DON'T fail to look at, examine and price our Cloaks, Dolmans and Circulars. They are, in style and quality, second to none. We have too many, and are willing to sell them at *actual cost*
4-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

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IT must be good, for everybody recommends it, and doctors prescribe it—we mean Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup, the great cough remedy. Sold by all druggists. 8-d&w1w

WE have left four or five pairs all-wool seven-pound blankets, which we offer very low. CHEAP STORE
8-d&w1w

PARTIES wanting stoves, glassware or furniture, now is your time. Ashby & Andress have to move, and must sell the stock off. Oct. 30-dtf

Boys take our advice and quit using tobacco. It isn't a bit manly, and besides it is very injurious to your health. An exchange says that a prominent physician in a neighboring town has discovered that 26 out of 30 boys in one of the rooms of the public school of the place use tobacco. The boys range from 8 to 12 years of age. We don't suppose that so large a proportion as that will be found among the lads of this city, addicted to the filthy and very injurious habit, but the number would surprise both teachers and parents. Its evil effects when used at such ages are vastly greater than most people suppose.

HAPPY and Healthy is the present condition of the Decatur National Bank, whose annual statement appears in another column of this issue. The business of this bank, as shown by the figures, shows that it is in a most flourishing condition, its business having increased over 50 per cent within the past year. At the close of business last year the total deposits were $128,956.75; grand total, $284,469 46; the total deposits Jan. 1, 1881, show $210,120.20; grand total, $373,446.26. This splendid showing indicates that the Decatur National Bank is in the full enjoyment of the confidence of the business community.

AN irate citizen came to the front bright and early this morning, and wanted to know "Where, oh, where are the guardians of the public peace." It appears that last evening a number of hoodlums, a little the worse for liquor, perambulated the public highways in the vicinity of State street, and amused themselves by jostling and insulting peaceable pedestrians. An altercation resulted, and one of the hoodlums got a pummelling. Where do the boys get their whisky?

THERE WAS a young lady who tried
In vain to be somebody'e bride;
But she hit on a plan,
To become her own man;
So she parted her hair on the side.

DURING the past week those two well-known and irrepressible purchasers of horse-flesh—Block, of St. Louis, and Wilkin, of Chicago,—have been in and about Decatur exposing themselves to the biting winter winds; but they have succeeded in corralling 16 horses and mules. They will continue to linger here and increase the number, if possible; but it is up-hill work, on account of the cold which keeps farmers from coming to the city.

THE attendance at the regular meeting of the Athenian Society, held at the high school building last night, was rather light, owing, no doubt, to the weakness of the membership for such outdoor sports as skating and sleighing. The literary exercises were cut short, but an interesting debate on the tariff question occurred. Prof. J. W. Wilkinson was the critic of the evening.

THE special meetings that have been held in each of the various Protestant churches in this city during the past week, have awakened a renewed interest in religious and church work generally. As a general thing the attendance has been satisfactory, though not so large as it would have been had the weather been milder.

EVERY seat at the Bantist Church next Thursday evening should be occupied. 'Tisn't often that such eminent lecturers as Dr. J. M. Gregory visit Decatur. His subject will be "The World Our School Room; or Education the Work of a Lifetime." Admission, 25 cents.

THE new German Lutheran church will be freed of its indebtedness to-day, the committee on finance having made good all amounts due. The congregation now has a large, convenient and comfortable house of worship, and will be a power for good in the community.

THE public is cordially invited to attend the regular afternoon temperance meeting at the tabernacle to-morrow. The exercises will commence shortly after 3 o'clock, and the room will be made comfortable. Rev. Mr. Bentley, of Chicago, will be the principal speaker. Hear him.

IT is estimated that about 45 members of the Decatur Guards will leave the city on Monday morning for Springfield, to be present at the inauguration of Governor Cullom. Captain Foster will be in command of the company.

SABBATH School lesson for to-morrow: Title—The Song of Mary. Text—Luke 1, 46-55 Outline—Reward of Faith; Reward of Humility. Golden text—Luke 1, 46-47.

To The Public.

The Rev. Geo. W. Pepper, a Methodist minister of Bellevue, Ohio, will deliver a lecture here on Thursday evening, Jan. 20th, 1881. His subject will be: "The Agitation of the Land Question in Ireland, and the cause of so many famines in that unfortunate country." The Reverend gentleman is one of the most noted lecturers in this country and will doubtless receive a warm reception. 8.ltf

Notice.

Rev. T. T. Kendrick will deliver a discourse at the opera house next Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock, on "Prejudice," and answer the Belleville dispatch. All are welcome; seats free; no collection; good music. Bring your gospel songs. 6d3

George W. Bain.

Will the pastors please announce from their pulpits on Sunday the lecture of Mr Bain at the tabernacle on Friday night, Jan. 14th. COMMITTEE.

Lost.

This morning, on South Broadway, a spirit level. The finder will please return it to this office.

Children's Cloaks,

About 50 nice, new fresh goods, at actual cost.
8-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

CHANGS-LINED SHOES at J. W. Baker's. Nov. 27-dtf

AMUSEMENT NEWS.

BILLY ARLINGTON.

The renowned Billy Arlington minstrel troupe of fun-makers will appear at the opera house on next Tuesday evening, Jan. 11th. Says the Clinton *Age*:

While Billy Arlington was singing the "Poultry Dealer," his imitation of the crowing of a rooster was so natural that it started two or three shanghais in a coop near the hall to respond in like manner. The audience fairly roared with laughter. Billy is a whole team in himself, and is supported by a splendid company of burnt cork artists.

Admission, 35, 50 and 75 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats.

THE NEW EVANGELINE.

Rice's Evangeline Party is a great favorite among lovers of amusements hereabouts, and as the New Evangeline will be given here on next Friday evening, Jan. 14th, by the Rice party, with all the old favorites—Louisa Searle, Vernona Jarbeau, George Fortesque, Harry Hunter, the Lone Fisherman, and others in their special roles, the hall will be packed with people. All the original comic effects, including the balloon trip, the living whales, the diamond fields, the heifer dance, and new scenic views, will be given. Secure your reserved seats at once at Curtis & Co.'s, only 75 cents. General admission, 50 cents.

"Dr." Alonzo Bunce Discharged.

Business in the circuit court on yesterday afternoon was disposed of as quickly as possible, and no other case except that of the People against Alonzo Bunce, charged with advertising as an abortionist, received much attention. The remainder of the evidence in this case, which hailed from Maroa, the abiding place of the defendant, who enjoys local notoriety there as a sort of a doctor, was adduced, and the jury retired to bring in a verdict. The jury voted to acquit the defendant, and he was accordingly discharged from custody. The first count in the indictment against Justus Martens, for extortion, was quashed, and the defendant pleaded not guilty to the second count. Thereupon Judge Smith adjourned court until Monday, Jan. 10, at 8 a. m

Young America's New Officers.

The regular meeting of Young America Hook and Ladder Co, No. 1, was held last evening at firemen's headquarters, and was largely attended. The treasurer's report showed the company to be in first-class condition financially. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Captain—Jack G. Cloyd.
1st Lieutenant—Emil Young.
2d " —Jacob Keck.
Secretary—J. S. Dempsey.
Treasurer—D. H. Cloyd.
Ladder Director—Peter Haimbacher.
Hook Director—Samuel Godert.
Ax Director—Edward Gates.
Bucket Director—John Keck.
Permanent Committee—J. W. Ehrman, H. Mueller, Charles Fletcher, Wm. Danzeisen and Samuel Lyon.

From Ice to Oranges,

by Special Excursion train over the Illinois Central Railroad to New Orleans, leaving Decatur February 15th, at twelve o'clock midnight, arriving in New Orleans at 8 o'clock a. m., Feb. 17th; fare for the round trip, $16.50, tickets good until March 15, 1881. Parties taking this excursion can witness the celebration of Washington's birthday, the Knights of Momus, the arrival and reception of his majesty, Rex, and March 1st, Mardi Gras, also the world's famous Mistic Krewe of Comus, and March 4th, the elegant parade of the New Orleans Fire Department, unsurpassed by any similar display ever witnessed in this country. Come and go with us. For further information enquire of the ticket agent at the Ill. C. R. R. Union Depot, Decatur.
Jan. 8—dtf

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Librarian's Report for December, 1880.

No. of books loaned	3,289
Av. No. " " daily	124
No. of visitors registered	5,789
No. of borrowers to Jan. 1,	3,683
Fines, etc., collected	$ 4 48

R. L. EVANS, Librarian.

LATE REAL ESTATE SALES.

Andrew Shoemaker to William H. Shorb; warranty deed for a residence lot 22 feet front in lot 3, block 16, Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition, $900.

Orlando Powers to Joseph Harrison; warranty deed for 19 acres in 18, 16, 2 east, $150.

Hiram E Parr to Geo W Donel; warranty deed for 5 acres in 17, 17, 4 east, $50.

John Stare to J M. Abrams; quit claim to part of out lot 7, in Western addition, $525

J. N. Keefer, to John Vail; warranty deed for lot 9, in block 9, in Warrensburg, $500.

E. N. Smith to H. C. Mowry; warranty deed for lots 1 and 2, block 7, Forsyth, $30.

J. H. Lowry to Sard Giles; warranty deed for 80 acres in 2, 14, 1 east, $2640

Abram Greenfield to W. S Parr; warranty deed for a tract of land in 14, 15, 3 east, $850

Same to James A Parr; warranty deed for a tract of land in 4, 15, 3 east, $750.

Amanda W. Prather to Richard J. Peddecord; warranty deed for lots 21 and 22, in resurvey of block 1, Old Town of Decatur, $1000.

J. W. Tyler Out of Business.

I take this method of informing the public generally and my old patrons in city and country in particular, that I am now out of business, having disposed of my stock of harness, saddles, bridles, etc All parties indebted to me are requested to call at once at Walters & Tyler's drug store, south side city park, where the accounts may be found and where settlements may be made. I desire in conclusion to return my thanks to the public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me in the past, and as I will soon re-open in the harness business, I hope by square dealing and good work to merit and receive a continuation of the same. Respectfully,
J. W. TYLER.
Decatur, Jan. 4, 1881—d&wtf

PIER Glasses and Parlor suits for sale by Ashby & Andress. 14-d&wtf

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

STAFF'S CHAPEL.

Services morning and evening at the usual hours. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Musgrove. Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

U. B. CHURCH.

General speaking meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching morning and evening by Rev. V. Potts, of Ohio. Sunday School at 2 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

The classes and Sunday school will meet as usual to-morrow. The revival services will be resumed at 10:30 a. m., and will continue indefinitely. The pastor will preach morning and evening.—The morning sermon will have special reference to the Church; the night sermon will be to the young and unconverted. A special invitation is extended to all its services.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Bible school at 9 a. m.; preaching at 10½ a. m. and 7 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "The Great Blessing." Subject of evening discourse, "The Way of Salvation." All are invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Preaching to-morrow morning at 10:30, and in the evening at 7. Subject of the evening discourse, "Revival." Sunday school meets at 11:30 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at the usual hours, morning and evening, by the pastor. Sunday school at 2 p. m.

CHURCH OF GOD.

The meetings at this place of worship are unusually interesting. Meeting to-night at 7 o'clock. Preaching to-morrow, morning and evening, at the usual hours. Experience meeting at 3 p. m. Sabbath School at 2 p. m All are welcome

PERSONAL MENTION.

Elder John W. Tyler will preach at Oreana to-morrow.

John S. Sargent and Solon Royal, both of Maroa, were at the St. Nicholas last evening.

Col. H. W. Rowell, of the Illinois House clerical force, arrived home last night from Springfield.

Hon. and Mrs. Thomas H. Macoughtry, of Tuscola, are registered at the St. Nicholas.

Mr. and Mrs. B B. Bacon, of Bement, were in the city last evening making liberal purchases at the stores.

Mrs. H. W. Rowell will depart for Iowa next week, and will be absent for a number of weeks.

Rev. D. P. Bunn departed for the east this noon. To-morrow he will occupy the pulpit of Union Chapel near Sadorus.

Eugene Crawford, formerly of this city, now of Kansas City, Mo., arrived in the city this morning and will remain here several weeks.

Hon. Jason Rogers arrived home from Springfield last night. To-day he is troubled with a severe cold contracted while on the train.

Rev. Mr. Bentley, of Chicago, is in the city, and will deliver a gospel temperance address at the tabernacle on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Carrie Marsh, of Fairbury, Ill., who has been in the city for the past five or six weeks, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Eldridge, departed for her home this noon.

Miss Fannie McDonald, daughter of a well-known cotton commission merchant, of Cincinnati, has been in the city for a number of days, on a visit to her cousin, Miss Lucy Prestley. She will remain here for several weeks.

Eli S. Ulery, of Mt. Zion, John McRoberts and Warren Tuttle, of this city, will depart this afternoon for St. Louis, and will enter the Christian Brothers' educational institution, located on the corner of 8th and Cerre streets.

Hon. D. D. Parry, of Monmouth, representative from the twenty-third district, is in the city, the guest of Hon. and Mrs. L. L. Haworth. Mr. Parry is a one-legged Union veteran, and formerly resided at Xenia, Ohio, where he and Mr. Haworth were intimate friends.

Rev. Mr. Hefter, of St. John's Church, did not offer prayer at the tabernacle last Sunday, as was incorrectly stated in these columns on the 3d inst, and will not speak there to-morrow afternoon, as he is engaged in Episcopal Church work, and cannot be in the city.

Willie O. McNabb, the undertaker, has a choice collection of postage and other stamps in his possession. He has had a part of them put upon a large sheet of card board and has built a frame around it. He can show you a stamp used by every nation, state and province on the face of the globe. They are well worth an inspection.

Charles J. Holt has been cutting a wide swath in the temperance work at Carlinville during the past three weeks. The other night, in the presence of a vast crowd of people there, Mr. Holt stated that he "had held 15 meetings, a reform club of over 40 members had been organized, and about 350 persons, besides 100 children, had signed the pledge. Some of them were very intemperate drinkers. He should go to Litchfield for a week or two and then visit other portions of that county. He, and others, would organize Unions in every township in Macoupin county and return to Carlinville in five or six weeks, when he anticipated that the county would be ready for a county organization."

E. B. Pratt

Has a few thousand dollars which he wishes to exchange for good
HORSES
within the next three months. Special days for buying, Jan. 12th to 20th; February and March, 10th to 17th, inclusive, and at any other time convenient to the seller, at his place of business, 37 North Church street, Decatur, Ill.
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TINWARE and everything for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress'. Aug6-d&wtf

MARRIED.

Near Forsyth, on Dec. 26th, 188, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Jacob S. Keler, J. P., MR. JOHN W. GLASNER and MISS JULIA A. WHITE.

THE MARKETS.

Following were the noon closing quotations at McWhorter & Rollins "board of trade" room to-day:

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Wheat—98½c Jan.; 98⅞c Feb.; 99⅞ March. Corn—37⅛c Jan; 37⅜c Feb.; 42⅝c May. Oats—21c Jan.; 21⅛c Feb.; 24⅝c May.

TOLEDO, Jan. 8.—Wheat—$1.04½ Jan; $1.05⅞ Feb.; $1.08 March; $1.10 April; $1.11½ May. Corn—44½c.

In Memory of the Dead.

At a meeting of the W. C. T. U., in view of our recent sad loss, a committee was appointed to express what is certainly the feeling of all. This we do as follows:

WHEREAS, In the providence of our Heavenly Father our beloved sister, MRS. BENJAMIN F. DILL, has been taken from us; therefore

Resolved, That we deplore her loss as a friend as well as a temperance worker.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the sadly bereaved family, and pray that her children may be strong supporters of their mother's principles for many years to come.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the city papers and in the *Signal*, and that a copy be sent to the afflicted family. MRS. M. H. MELVILLE, Ch'n.

CATCHEM & CHEATEM, successors to BRAGG, BLUSTER & BLOW, while they possess other notable qualities seem also to be *kleptomaniacs*, (we believe that is the word), as they have *appropriated* the thunder of others to hide their uncenviable reputation. "ONE DOLLAR will buy a *good* pair of *bed blankets*" they say. We have heard of *these* blankets, and if the *sticks were taken out of them* they might do for horse covers, or if there were *any wool* in them IT MIGHT BE PICKED OUT and *something useful made of it*. And if LABOR *were cheap enough*, a purchaser of one of those "GOOD, heavy winter cloaks at $1.90," might get some one to HOLD IT TOGETHER while wearing it. The mention of these *extraordinary* bargains by Catchem & Cheatem recalls one of the many offered by Bragg, Bluster & Blow, when Catchem or Cheatem, we don't know which, was the *roaring lion* of the concern, when, after enumerating a stock of goods that would have overshadowed that of A. T. Stewart & Co., (although nothing *hardly* but the *tag end* of a retail stock from another near town), they named specifically ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY THOUSAND *pairs of kid gloves at 49c. a pair*, and qualified this by saying, "WELL worth one dollar a pair," when in fact their whole stock did not amount to one-tenth part of what they claimed to have had invested in kid gloves alone When Linn & Scruggs advertise goods at a *low price* the people are SURE of getting them. But it is plain to be seen that when Bragg, Bluster & Blow, or their SUCCESSORS, Catchem and Cheatem, prostitute the papers to their base uses, the people do not know whether they are going to get FLESH, FISH OR FOWL—the supposition, however, would be—*foul*. 6d&w1

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The Indiana Coal Co. has on hand the very best quality of Lackawana, Hard Coal, chestnut size, at $9.00 per ton, screened and delivered.
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20 ARTISTS OF MERIT. 20
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6 Great End Men. 6
6 Song and Dance Artists 6
6 Clog Dancers. 6

ARLINGTON'S CALIFORNIA QUARTETTE, and A SUPERB BAND AND ORCHESTRA.

Admission, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Reserved Seats, without extra charge, at Curtis & Co.'s jewelry store. jan6-dtd

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Mr. George Fortesque as.....Catherine
Mr. Ed. Chapman.....as.....Le Blanc
Mr. Max Figman.....as.....Captain Detrich
Mr. Geo. A. Shtler.....as.....The Policeman
And Mr. Harry Hunter as The Lone Fisherman

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The Best Corsets ever sold in this market for	50
Good Crash at	6¼
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White Marseilles Quilts, large size	1 25
Job lot Kid Gloves, small size	15

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We should like very much to have the opportunity to show you through our line and GIVE YOU PRICES. We have always made it a point to have all our advertisements STRICTLY TRUE, and when we allude to our stock being so far in excess of all others here, and our prices lower, we do so knowing that an inspection on your part will convince you of the facts. Very respectfully,

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BAIN! BAIN!!

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HON. GEO. W. BAIN,

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Let Him be Greeted by an Audience of at least 2,000 People.

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Jan. 7—dtd

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No. 6, Through Express	7:05 a. m
" 4 Atlantic Express	12:00 m.
" 2, Lightning Express	10:55 p. m
" 8, Arrive	7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East	10:20 a. m
Going "	7:10 p. m
Going "	4:20 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Eastern Line	4:35 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation	7:00 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail	8:40 p. m
" 1, Through Express	7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west	1:45 p. m
Going "	11:30 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, Oct. 10th, 1880, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 45, Chicago Express	12:25 a. m
" 48, Through Express	7:15 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail	12:10 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	3:35 a. m
" 43, St. Louis Mail	3:00 p. m
" 41, Through Express	7:10 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 42, St. Louis Express	3:45 a. m
" 46, Fast Line	4:00 a. m
" 42, Decatur and St. Louis Accom.	6:20 a. m
" 48, Fast Mail	3:00 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS

No. 40, Chicago Express	12:15 a. m
" 46, Atlantic Express	11:50 a. m
" 42, St. Louis and Decatur Accom.	6:15 p. m
" 48, Lightning Express	10:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West	7:30 a. m
Arrive from West	2:00 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East	10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign	3:00 p. m

☞ For Routes, Rates, Elegant Maps of the Western Country, and any information you may desire in regard to going West, please address

J. C. GAULT, Gen. Manager. H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass. Agent, ST. LOUIS.

Or E. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, June 14th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger	8:00 a. m.
Mail and Express	4:20 p. m.
Local Freight	8:10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express	11:25 a. m.
Indianapolis Passenger, arrive	9:00 p. m
Local Freight, depart	7:30 a. m.

Passengers leaving Decatur at 8 o'clock a. m. arrive at Indianapolis at 3:45 p. m.

N. E. ADAMS, Agent.

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GOING EAST.

Passenger	10 40 a. m.
Freight	10 25 p. m.
	4 40 p. m.

GOING WEST.

Passenger	7 35 a. m.
Freight	4 30 p. m.
	11 40 a. m.

C. R. CORLEIGH, Supt.
L. M. RUPERT, G. P. A.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 1, 1880.

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Attorney-at-Law,

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Decatur, Ill., Sept. 24, 1879—d3wtf

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The other day she picked up a newspaper and languidly perused an article about a horse-race in France. Finally she said, with a yawn to her husband:

"People eat horse-meat in France, don't they?"

"Yes, I believe so."

"I wish we lived there."

"Why so?"

"I was reading, just now, about the horse-race, and it said the steaks were 5,000 francs. Grub is so cheap here in Galveston!"

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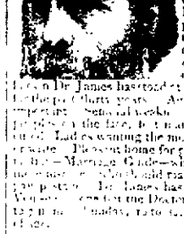

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Decatur, Ill., Dec. 20, A. D. 188

JASPER DURRING, Adm

Dec. 21—w3w

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